

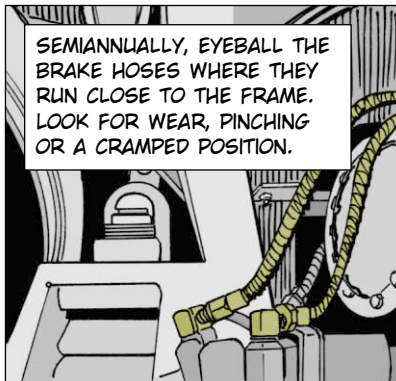
# Prevent Brake Hose Damage

OPERATORS,  
YOUR TRUCK'S TECH  
MANUAL SAYS TO  
CHECK THE FLEXIBLE  
HYDRAULIC BRAKE  
HOSES DURING  
PMCS.

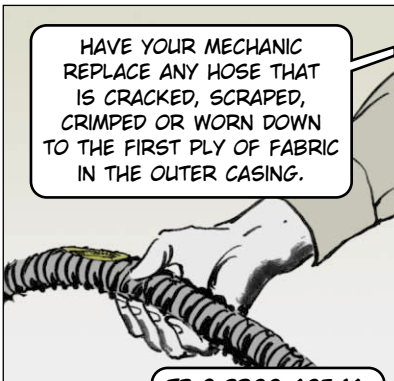
PROBLEM IS, THE  
MANUAL DOESN'T SAY  
HOW TO CHECK 'EM  
OR WHAT TO LOOK  
FOR. SO HERE'S  
HOW AND WHAT...



SEMIANNUALLY, EYEBALL THE  
BRAKE HOSES WHERE THEY  
RUN CLOSE TO THE FRAME.  
LOOK FOR WEAR, PINCHING  
OR A CRAMPED POSITION.

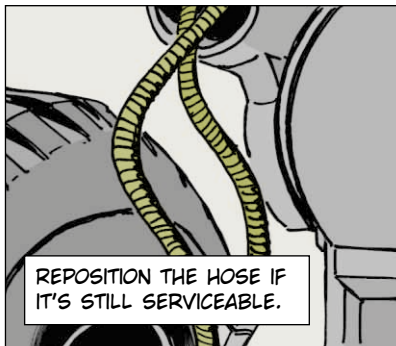


HAVE YOUR MECHANIC  
REPLACE ANY HOSE THAT  
IS CRACKED, SCRAPPED,  
CRIMPED OR WORN DOWN  
TO THE FIRST PLY OF FABRIC  
IN THE OUTER CASING.



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MANDATORY BRAKE  
HOSE INSPECTION,  
AND REPLACEMENT—  
TACTICAL VEHICLES,  
HAS THE INFO.

REPOSITION THE HOSE IF  
IT'S STILL SERVICEABLE.



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Mandatory  
Brake Hose  
Inspection, and  
Replacement—  
Tactical Vehicles